FORM 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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| STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP |
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| Name and Address of Reporting Person* Holcomb Eric S | | | | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol KIRBY CORP [KEX] | | | | | | | | | | | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify | | | | | |
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| (Last) 55 WAU SUITE 1 | GH DRIVE | • | (Middle) | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/24/2019 | | | | | | | | | | Λ | below) | below) elations | | | | |
| (Street) | ON T | X | 77007 | | 4. If | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | | | | | Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicabl Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | | | | |
| (City) | (Si | tate) | (Zip) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | Tab | le I - No | n-Deriv | ative | Sec | curiti | es A | cqui | red, I | Dis | posed (| of, o | r Be | nefici | ally C | Owne | t | | | | |
| Date | | | 2. Transa Date (Month/D | | ır) Ei | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | | , π C | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | | 4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 5) | | | | and Securitie Beneficia | | s ally following | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | ode | v | Amount | | (A) or (D) Price | | т | Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | | | | ,iiisti. 4) | |
| Common Stock, par value \$.10 per share | | | | 01/24 | /24/2019 | | | | | М | | 331 | A | | (1) | | 1,531 | | | D | | |
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| | | Т | able II - | Derivat (e.g., p | | | | | | | - | | - | | | - | vned | | | | | |
| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deem Execution if any (Month/Da | Date, | 4. Transacti Code (Ins 8) | | on of E | | | ate Exe ration I nth/Day | Date | ble and 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Secu (Instr. 3 and 4) | | Security | Deri Sec (Ins | ivative urity tr. 5) | 9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s (Instr. 4) | lly | 10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | | |
| | | | | | Code | v | (A) |) (D) Dat | | cisable | | xpiration ate | or Numl of | | Number | 1 | | | | | | |
| Restricted | (1) | 04/04/0040 | | | ν | | | 224 | | (2) | | (2) | Com | mon | 221 | 1 | •• | 4.204 | | | | |

Explanation of Responses:

Units

- 1. Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive cash or one share of common stock of the issuer.
- 2. The restricted stock units vest in five equal annual installments beginning on January 24, 2019. Cash or shares of common stock of the issuer, at the election of the issuer, will be delivered to the reporting person on or as soon as practicable on each vesting date.

Ronald A. Dragg, Agent and Attorney-in-Fact

01/28/2019

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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